

Membership Secretary's Report

At 1st January 2018 The Photographic Group had 616 household members and 1099 total members. At 31st December 2018 the membership stood at 689 and 1223 respectively, an increase of 73 and -124 with an average of 658 and 1175. However, over the year we had 223 and 388 new members but 150 and 264 leavers, a large turnover. Central Counties Region continues to have the largest number of members. The figures are derived from the bi-monthly membership list from HQ which we continue to receive following the update to the database in November 2017 and which continues to evolve. We have had however a reconciliation problem with HQ over the year which was ongoing at the end of December and therefore welcome letters have not been sent out. I only received queries from two new members during this time. Four editions of Photocamper have been distributed to all household members by our printers.